Mysore Seed Cocoons utilised for the last five years

317 SRI D. T. MAYANNA (Huliyurdurga)—Will the Minister for Law, Parliamentary Affairs, Animal Husbandry and Veterinary be pleased to state.—

(a) the quantum in tonnes of Mysore Seed Cocoon utilised every year by the Sericulturists (Details for the last five years may please be furnished);

(b) the quantum in tonnes, the Seed Cocoons unutilised for rearing, (Division-wise details may please be furnished)

(c) the scheme chalked out by Government for reeling the unutilised Seed Cocoon;

(d) whether the Government has proposed (i) to open Small Scale Industrial Estate (ii) to start Mini Silk Filatures factory for reeling the unutilised Seed Cocoons ?

SRI Y. RAMAKRISHNA (Minister for Law, Parliamentary Affairs, Animal Husbandry and Veterinary). —

(a) Details of Mysore Seed Cocoons utilised for rearing for the last five years are as follows.—

Year		Quantity of Cocoons (in tonnes)
1976-77	...	470
1977-78	...	550
1978-79	...	590
1979-80	...	650
1980-81	...	649

(b) Quantity of unutilised Cocoons are noted hereunder

Year	Quantity (total)	Magadi Division (Magadi Veere Gowdana Doddi, Kudoor)	Kunigal Division Kunigal, Kempanehalli, Huliyurudurga, Sante Mavatturu, Hebbur
76-77	400	122	278
77-78	550	167	383
78-79	580	172	408
79-80	590	174	416
80-81	681	238	443

(c) Sanction is accorded by Government to purchase unutilised Cocoons which are not fit for rearing and for establishment of Silk Reeling unit. 81 persons are engaged in Silk reeling and there are 204 Charaka Reelings. In addition to this, provision has also been